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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: James R. Matson  
Serial No.: 09/815,675  
Filing Date: March 23, 2001  
Group Art No.: Unknown  
Examiner: Unknown  
Title: **Method and System for Providing  
Therapeutic Agents with Hemofiltration  
for Reducting Inflammatory Mediator  
Related Diseases**

**BOX MISSING PARTS**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of  
Application mailed June 1, 2001, Applicant respectfully  
submits the following:

a) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of  
Application dated June 1, 2001;

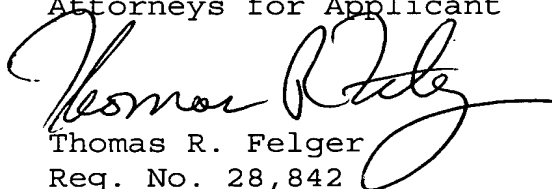
- b) An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above patent application, which was filed March 23, 2001;
- c) An executed Small Entity Verification;
- d) A check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the fee for missing parts for a small entity.
- e) An executed Assignment for the above patent application;
- f) An executed Assignment Cover Sheet; and
- g) A check in the amount of \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.

Applicant believes all necessary items have now been forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for filing in the above identified patent application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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